



# Proclamation

## *Dahlonge Lions Club*

**WHEREAS**, Dahlonge Lions Club is now celebrating 83 years of service to Lumpkin County. Dahlonge Lions Club was chartered with twenty members on September 29, 1932 at the Old Tate Hotel on the Square in Dahlonge; and

**WHEREAS**, Dahlonge Lions Club purchased Dahlonge's first Fire Truck and assisted with generating industry to the city by establishing Dahlonge's Chamber of Commerce; and

**WHEREAS**, Dahlonge Lions Club has established and facilitated a Vision Clinic in partnership with the Community Helping Place and Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation Vision Program that provides assistance for free vision screenings and eye exams to hundreds of residents of Lumpkin County; and

**WHEREAS**, Dahlonge Lions Club has provided assistance, with building and for a number of years maintaining, the Community House. Dahlonge Lions Club has also provided time and labor to help build the Pavilion at Gold City Convalescent Center; and

**WHEREAS**, Dahlonge Lions Club has provided assistance and sponsorship's to School Bands, Boy Scouts, 4-H Clubs, and Little Leagues; and

**WHEREAS**, Dahlonge Lions Club will continue to have fundraising projects returning all proceeds to the community or to support other Lions Club functions where the guiding principal has always and will continue to be "We are here to serve the community".

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Members of the Lumpkin County Board of Commissioners hereby honor and salute Dahlonge Lions Club and further proclaim Tuesday, September 29, 2015, as **DAHLONGE LIONS CLUB DAY**.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, we have set our hand and caused the seal of Lumpkin County to be affixed this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015.

Lumpkin County, Georgia

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Chris Dockery, Chairman  
Lumpkin County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

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Kathleen C. Walker, County Clerk

